

41 BUSHELS WHEAT TO ACRE IS RECORD IN FARMERS VALLEY

Jerry Elza Gets Remarkable Results From Seed Which Came From Maryland Four or Five Years Ago—Says He Would Have Had Better Yield on High Ground.

So far as reported Farmers Valley holds the record for wheat yield per acre. Jerry Elza has threshed a little more than forty-one bushels to an acre on six acres. The grain grades No. 2.

Mr. Elza says that the yield would have been fifty bushels to an acre, he believes, on high ground. He planted the wheat on the lower part of his farm, and the heavy rains caused an excess of straw.

Seed for this acreage came from Maryland. Four or five years ago some one ordered the seed and did not take it out of the depot. Mr. Elza bought it for charges. Two years ago he planted the seed, and says it made two or three times as much as the ordinary wheat he had been planting.

This year Mr. Elza had a large acreage in wheat seeded to other varieties, and the average was twenty-five bushels to an acre, or sixteen bushels less than the wheat from the Maryland seed. It is Mr. Elza's purpose to keep all of the wheat grown from this seed and plant it next year. If it proves to be a heavy producer again, he expects to offer it for tested seed.

ROUTE 4 MAN HAS FINE CORN.

Visitors Write A. B. Huff Wilbarger County Is Much Cooler Than East Texas.

A. B. Huff of route four was in Vernon yesterday, and says the recent rain was the finest he ever saw. Mr. Huff moved to this county last December from near Paris, and says his corn is as fine as he ever grew in East Texas. This rain insures the corn crop and a good yield of cotton he thinks.

Mr. Huff's mother and two sisters, Mmes. M. J. Huff, Gears, and Phillips, were here last week from East Texas. They like Wilbarger county very much, and have written Mr. Huff that it is so much warmer there than here they would enjoy coming back.

Invites Friends to See Him.

"I have moved my family from Vernon, but my heart is still there," writes L. E. Key, who recently moved to Wichita Falls. "I haven't burned any bridges and some time I expect to be a citizen of old Wilbarger county again. I want all of my friends to come to see me when in Wichita and make my office their headquarters." Mr. Key recently moved to Wichita Falls to be nearer the center of the oil business.

Back From Naval Service.

H. F. Wall, pharmacist for the J. H. Pendleton & Son Drug Company before the war, is in Vernon today visiting friends. Mr. Wall enlisted in the Navy and was pharmacist on the scout cruiser Chester for two years. During this time he visited in European waters and recently made a trip to Archangel, the Russian North Sea port. Mr. Wall's home is in Fort Worth and he will reside there.

Peach Ten Inches in Diameter.

The Record is recipient of a peach measuring ten inches in diameter. It was grown on a place occupied by R. V. Murray, and Mr. Murray says some of the peaches were much larger than this one. He has an entire farm on his lot just west of the Baptist parsonage, and says that he proposes to have the best individual exhibit at the County Fair this fall.

Five Buy Buick Automobiles.

Robinson Motor Company reports the sale of a Buick Roadster to Bass King of Oklahoma and touring cars to J. B. Morris, C. M. Ladd, T. B. Bourland and E. P. Hicks. W. W. Love and W. F. Key bought Fordson tractors from Napier Bros. Motor Company.

Linton Sullivan Arrives Home.

Linton Sullivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Sullivan, arrived home Monday morning from Camp Pike, Ark., where he went to receive his discharge following his return from overseas. He was in a military police company and saw several months' service in France.

\$25,000.00 STOCK SOLD OPENING DAY OF OIL EXCHANGE

J. S. Buchanan Is Official Auctioneer for Syndicate Lease Company and Stocks Are Called at 11, 3:30 and 8:30 O'clock Daily—Ladies Specially Welcomed.

The Syndicate Lease Company, under the management of Webb & Rogers have established a board and opened an oil exchange in the local Oil Exchange building. Some thing near \$25,000 worth of stock changed hands over the board on Friday, the opening day, according to W. H. Rogers. J. S. Buchanan is the official auctioneer. Stocks are called at 11 a. m., and 3:30 and 8:30 p. m.

A great deal of interest in the new enterprise is being displayed. Large crowds attend the sales and the bidding is brisk. Ladies are specially welcome at these calls. Following are quotations from yesterday's market:

| | Asked | Bid |
|---------------------------|---------|---------|
| Aetna | 107 1/2 | 102 1/2 |
| Burk-Payton | 135 | 110 |
| Byars Farm | 121 | 120 |
| Burk-Key | 100 | 80 |
| Burk-George | 35 | 25 |
| Daniel | 45 | 25 |
| Guyler-Trisler | 150 | 115 |
| Neal-Hamilton | 192 1/2 | 192 1/2 |
| Pope | 110 | 85 |
| Robertson Pet. | 125 | 50 |
| Vernon Oil Devel. | 82 1/2 | 80 |
| Golconda No. 2 | 190 | 165 |
| Wilbarger-Ford | 95 | 70 |
| Willo Bloom | 110 | |
| Moonshine Hill | 92 1/2 | 90 |
| Liberty Oil & Devel. | 107 1/2 | 95 |
| Waurika No. 2 | 110 | 80 |
| Texas Reserve | 105 | |
| Burk-Vernon | 50 | 25 |
| Hoyo Oil Co. | 110 | |
| Four Bros. | 75 | |

MISS TENNYSON ENTERTAINS.

Popular Vernon Girl Is Hostess at Progressive 42 Party in South Wheeler Street Home.

Miss Winnie Tennyson was hostess to a number of young friends at a progressive forty-two party given at her home on South Wheeler street Friday night. She was assisted in the entertainment by Mrs. E. M. Haney and Mrs. V. D. Tennyson presided at the punch bowl. Music was furnished by an Edison. Delicious refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served.

Following is a list of the invited guests: Misses Nelle Pettit, Olefa Youngblood, Juanita Youngblood, Geraldine Parker, Beulah Ladd, Anna Joe Pendleton, Dolly Smith, Jessie Jenkins, Lucille Holt, Theresa Holt, Johnnie Mallow, Anna Hagy, Ruth Hawkins, Helen Ferguson, Eula Lee Eggleston, Ruth Batchelor, Beulah Nowlin, Dolly Parker, Jennie Breunard, Minnie Weatherall, Willie Carroll, Harriet Thomas; Messrs. Sunrow Greene, Louis Byrd, Thomas, Aubrey Foster, Ralph King, Ava White, Innis McCrary, Lee Pope, Ernest Pope, Walter McCaleb, Chancey Puckett, Guy Pettit, Eddie Collins, Roy Wright, Robert Basham, Minger, Frank Byrd, Early Norwood, Ailman Pitts, T. J. McGill, Frank Findley; Messrs. and Mmes. Claud Red and E. M. Haney.

W. M. Rowland Loses Finger.

W. M. Rowland had the misfortune last Saturday to mash his left forefinger to such an extent that physicians found it necessary to amputate the member at the first joint. Mr. Rowland was engaged in unloading heavy drilling machinery when a piece slipped and caught his finger.

Waggoner Colony May Spud in Today.

Practically all of the machinery for drilling the Waggoner Colony well, northeast of Harrold, has been placed on the ground and the test will probably be spudded in today or tomorrow. Operations, once started, will be rushed the drillers announce.

John Brown Building Home.

John Brown has let the contract to J. B. Norris for the construction of a new residence on his lots on South Fannin street. The building will contain five rooms, a sleeping porch, a bath, and will be modern in every respect.



WE ARE NOT GOING TO A FUNERAL—WE ARE GOING TO A WEDDING.

Mrs. AIMEE SEMPLE McPHERSON, 312 HER SON ROLF McPHERSON.

Can a woman preach the Gospel? Should a woman preach the Gospel? Mrs. Aimee Semple McPherson, of Los Angeles, says, "yes." This woman preacher talked to reporters in the library of the Vanderbilt Hotel, telling how she knew she was "called of God" to plead with sinners to come to the mercy seat. Mrs. McPherson has begun a three weeks' evangelistic campaign at the specially prepared camp meeting grounds in the Bronx. Twenty-four tents have been pitched with four cots in each tent. All are engaged and fifty persons are camping out in a temporary dormitory. There are meetings every afternoon and evening. About the grounds are signs which read:—"Do You Want Salvation? Come." "Do You Want the Holy Spirit? Come." "Do You Want the Healing Spirit? Come." Mrs. McPherson, when preaching wears a white suit similar to those worn by nurses. She is pretty, twenty-eight years old, has brown eyes and a quantity of brown hair. She was born in Ingersoll, near London, Province of Ontario, Canada.

WOMAN PREACHER

OIL FIELDS MELON GROWERS' MARKET

WILL SHIP TO MORE DISTANT MARKETS LATER IN SEASON—PESTS TROUBLE VINES.

Local melon growers are finding a ready market for their product in the Wichita oil fields. Cantaloupes were not ripe enough to pick until a few days ago and as yet comparatively few have been gathered, most of which have been sold on the local market or shipped to neighboring towns. Local truck farmers anticipate disposing of a great many melons in more distant points later on when the melons ripen faster.

Lice have given the melon growers a great deal of trouble during the last week or so, and the indications are that these pests will cause a material decrease in production. Cantaloupes have a fairly good flavor this season, better than most melon men expected in view of the fact that the crop has had so much rain.

Melons are frequently shipped out in carload lots and several cars will perhaps be shipped out this season.

Sewell Thanks People for Kindnesses.

"I would like to thank the people of Vernon through your paper for the kindnesses they showed to myself and family while here," writes W. M. Sewell. "I feel that I owe them much and as I have some interests there I am expecting to visit there as soon as I get things straightened out here." Mr. Sewell has bought a home at 1522 North Seventh Street, in Waco. He advises that Mrs. Sewell's health continues to improve.

Iowa Man a Visitor in Vernon.

J. B. Galloway of Waterloo, Iowa, was in Vernon two days this week, looking over the oil development here. He is a member of the family famous for breeding Galloway cattle, and the business has an international scope. Mr. Galloway expressed himself as being highly pleased with the outlook around Vernon, and made some small investments.

Connie Manis in New York.

J. J. Manis received a telegram Sunday from his son, Connie Manis, stating he had arrived in New York from over seas. The young man was a member of the ordinance corps and will probably be home within the next two weeks.

Frisco Official Visits Vernon.

T. A. O'Reilly, representing the Civil Engineering Department of the home offices of the Frisco Railway in St. Louis was in Vernon yesterday, looking after some property interests of the road.

OIL SAND IS FOUND IN OLD COBB WELL

MOONSHINE HILL COMPANY IS SETTING CASING TO TEST AT 1,800 FEET.

An oil sand has been struck in the old Cobb well, northeast of Harrold, by the Moonshine Hill Oil Company. The drill struck the sand at a little more than 1,800 feet. The rig is shut down until five-inch casing can be set to test out the sand.

W. S. Willis of Wichita Falls, secretary-treasurer of the Company, was in Vernon yesterday, and he says it is impossible to say whether a paying strike has been found. He is hopeful that they have a well.

In bailing out the hole considerable oil was brought up, but it will be impossible to tell indefinitely what has been found until the sand can be drilled into. If a well is brought in on this property it will prove up a wide stretch of new territory and will be the most important development in the Wilbarger oil field since the first wells were brought in by the big companies south and southeast of Harrold.

W. A. WILHELM MOVING HOUSE.

Pays \$2,500 for Lot on West Wilbarger Street and May Build Modern Home.

W. A. Wilhelm has purchased the six-room bungalow recently sold to J. S. Cook by S. E. Honaker, adjoining the latter's residence on Texas street, and will either move it to a lot he has just purchased from T. J. Youngblood on Wilbarger street or some other location. If another location can be found Mr. Wilhelm will erect a new home on the Youngblood lot.

The price paid for the Wilbarger street lot was \$2,500. It is seventy by 280 feet and is immediately east of Mr. Youngblood's home place.

Miss Bootie Townsend Weds.

Mr. Byron Sampson and Miss Bootie Townsend were married at the home of the bride's parents in Fort Worth on Saturday, July 19. Their home will be in Mangum, Okla., where Mr. Sampson is engaged in the hardware business. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Townsend and a niece of Postmaster J. V. Townsend. She is well known in Vernon, having lived here for a number of years and graduated from the local high school. A host of friends will join in congratulations and best wishes.

Dr. A. B. Garland Operated On.

Dr. A. B. Garland left Sunday for Fort Worth where he went to undergo an operation for appendicitis. No reports have reached Vernon since the operation yesterday.

VERNON BOY, M. D. TO PRACTICE HERE

DR. SUMROW GREENE IS GRADUATE OF VANDERBILT—HAS BEEN IN ST. LOUIS.

Dr. Sumrow Greene, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Greene, has rented rooms over the Farmers State Bank and will establish himself in the practice of medicine in Vernon. Dr. Greene was born and reared in Vernon and is a graduate of the local high school. He obtained his M. D. Degree from Vanderbilt University at Nashville, Tenn., making a splendid record. Since finishing school the doctor has been employed in the St. Louis City hospital for over twelve months.

A host of friends in Vernon and surrounding territory will extend to Dr. Greene best wishes for success in launching his professional career in Vernon.

Ten Peaches in One Cluster.

The Record is in receipt of a cluster of peaches from Rev. S. E. Lloyd. Two of the peaches fell off, but eight remain. On the same twig, not more than eight inches long, are four more peaches. Rev. Lloyd says his peaches are turning out well, although they suffer somewhat from depredations by youthful visitors.

A. C. Rayzor's Father Injured.

A. C. Rayzor left Saturday for Denton to be at the bedside of his father, who was seriously injured by a fall from a tower. The accident occurred Friday and the message to his son here said that traumatic pneumonia had developed. Late reports indicate no change in the condition of the injured man.

T. C. Frost Injures Hand.

T. C. Frost of Farmers Valley sustained a painful injury to his right hand while removing the engine from a tractor Friday. In some way the engine spilled and the crank shaft caught Mr. Frost's hand. The shaft passed almost completely through the palm. Fortunately no bones were broken.

Miss Lois McHugh Undergoes Operation

Mrs. E. L. McHugh left Saturday night in response to a telegram advising that her daughter, Miss Lois, had been taken seriously ill. Miss McHugh was attending the North Texas State Normal at Denton. Her condition was such that she was taken to Dallas and an operation performed Sunday. She was resting well at last reports.

Ice Cream Party at Fargo.

The Fargo Epworth League will give an ice cream and stunt party in the Fargo school house Friday night. The officers urge a large attendance.

APPEAL IS MADE FOR EAST VIEW CEMETERY FUNDS

Weeds Are Growing Over Driveways and Many of the 2,600 Graves of Members of Vernon Families—Should Be 1,000 Paying Members Instead of Only 180.

There are more than 2,600 persons buried in East View Cemetery. Figuring five members to the family this means that 13,000 people have relatives buried there. There are 180 paying members of the East View Cemetery Association. The dues range from \$1 to \$5 per year.

Practically the whole work of keeping the cemetery falls to the Cemetery Association. On the present income it has been next to impossible to keep a sexton. For several weeks there has been no sexton and the cemetery has gotten into a very bad condition. Weeds cover the graves, and driveways and work is needed badly. Recently the Association made an appeal for citizens to go out and cut weeds and help clean up the property. Many responded but there was not enough help to make much of an impression on the weed crop.

D. D. Benethy of Oklaunion has been employed as sexton, but it will be impossible for him to put the property in good condition for some time. All the recently made graves will have to have new mounds thrown up over them. The recent heavy rains caused the original mounds to settle to such an extent as to make this work absolutely necessary. This will require much of the sexton's time until the work is finished. To do what should be done at once, people should either volunteer to help cut weeds or pay into the Association a sufficient amount of money to permit the employment of extra help for a short time. The latter is preferable.

The commonest sort of civic pride absolutely demands that the people rally to the support of the Cemetery Association and enable this organization to keep the property in the best of condition. Checks for dues should be mailed to either R. D. Shive or Mrs. B. J. Parker. There ought to be not less than 1,000 members of the Association paying \$1 to \$25 per year, and it ought not to be necessary to put out soliciting committees. Vernon people should voluntarily contribute whatever amount is necessary to care for the city's burying ground.

TWO FORMER VERNON LAWYERS IN RED RIVER OIL LAND CASE

By the decree of fate two former Vernon lawyers are on opposite sides of the contest over the title to a strip of territory in or adjacent to the bed of Red river, northwest of Burkburnett in Wichita county. Oklahoma is claiming the land and is represented by John N. Fain, former Vernon lawyer and present United States District Attorney for the western district of Oklahoma.

Texas landowners are represented by S. A. L. Morgan of Wichita Falls, also a former Vernon attorney. He is assisted by Congressman Lucian W. Parrish of Henrietta. Oddly enough, Mr. Fain is a brother-in-law and Mr. Morgan is a former law partner of Judge W. D. Berry of this city.

The case will probably go before the United States Supreme Court for final settlement. It grew out of the discovery of oil northwest of Burkburnett. Until then the land was considered worthless.

Former Vernon Man in Emporia.

P. J. Hayes, former manager of the Texas Public Service Company of this city, is manager of the Emporia division of the Kansas Electric Utilities Company. He has just moved to that place from Henryetta, Okla., where he moved from Vernon. The Emporia property is owned by the Albert Emanuel Company, which also owns the Vernon property.

Joe Hildebrandt Is Discharged.

Joe Hildebrandt, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hildebrandt, north of Vernon, arrived home yesterday morning, having been mustered out of the service at Camp Pike. He saw several months' service over sea.

FORT WORTH MAN IS GIVEN STREET PAVING CONTRACT

H. K. McCollum Will Begin Preliminary Work at Once for Putting Down About 50,000 Square Yards of One Course, 6-Inch Reinforced Concrete in Vernon.

H. K. McCollum of Fort Worth was the successful bidder for the construction of approximately 50,000 square yards of street paving in Vernon. The contract was awarded by the City Commission last night. Bids were also submitted by J. N. Jordan of Plainview and The General Construction Company of Fort Worth. Deliberation by the Commission lasted all day yesterday and until after midnight.

One course of 6-inch concrete was the material agreed upon and Mr. McCollum proposes to do the work for \$3.15 per square yard. A five-inch course of re-inforced concrete would cost but seventeen cents per square yard less, according to the contractor's figures. The bid submitted on monolithic brick with concrete base, consisting of 2 1/2-inch vertical fiber brick and a 4-inch concrete base, was \$3.42.

Mr. McCollum promises to commence work immediately rounding up labor and material and making preliminary arrangements. He anticipates beginning actual construction before September 1.

The paving contracted for will be distributed over South Main, West Texas, East Texas, North Cumberland, West Paradise, West Pease and East Wilbarger. With reference to the work on East Wilbarger street there is a contingency clause, however, depending upon an agreement to be reached with the county. This street is included in the Vernon-Oklaunion highway and twenty feet of it will be paved by the county. The contract for this work will be let by the county commissioners on July 30. It is desired that the contract be let to the same party and for the same material.

HERE TO GET WAR RECORDS.

W. B. Ward Will Spend 30 Days Getting Information of Those Who Helped Win.

W. B. Ward, representing the Army and Navy History Company of Dallas, is in Vernon for the purpose of gathering data and photographs for the edition of "The Texas Spirit of '17." He wants the records of the men who served, whether at home or abroad, and the photographs are necessary to make the record complete.

Mr. Ward will spend about thirty days in Vernon. He will appreciate any assistance individuals can give him, as it is a somewhat difficult task to hunt out those whose efforts entitle them to a place in the book, and the publishers are anxious to make the record complete. It will include the Red Cross, Liberty Loan workers, as well as the men in service.

2.82 INCHES RAIN HERE.

Farmers Do Not Think Wheat Is Badly Injured if Sunshine Continues for a Time.

Rainfall in Vernon during the recent spell of wet weather amounted to 2.82 inches, according to the official record kept by J. R. Renfro. It began July 16 and continued until Sunday afternoon, more than half of the rain falling Saturday night and Sunday.

J. A. Creager reports that some wheat around Oklaunion is sprouting in the shock. Most farmers are of the opinion, however, that the wheat has not been seriously damaged if the sunshine continues for a time now. Corn, row crops and cotton were needing rain. Many farmers say this period of wet weather practically insures bumper crops of each.

Waggoner Colony About Ready to Drill.

Mrs. E. L. Keltz returned this morning from a business trip to Fort Worth and Dallas in connection with the Waggoner Colony Oil Company. Mrs. Keltz says her company will be ready to drill before August 1, barring unusual accidents. Heavy machinery for work on the well was on the ground before the recent rains. Most of the company's stock has already been placed.

More's Theatre

TODAY—TUESDAY.
SESSUE HAYAKAWA
in
"HIS DEBT."



Beautiful Jane Novak in an intensely dramatic play—with Hayakawa. Also showing Lyon and Moran in "NAILED TO THE PLATE."

WEDNESDAY.
MAY ALLISON in "ALMOST MARRIED."
2 parts.

THURSDAY.
"Fix Up Girls! That's One of the Lessons in 'CHOOSING A WIFE.'"

The story of a "typical man" and a typical maid. Also ELINOR FREED and EDDIE DEPA in a First National attraction.

COMING FRIDAY—ENID BENNETT in "PARTNERS THREE."

At the Theaters

Pictorium.

Wednesday—Besides narrating an exciting drama which steadily mounts to a tremendous climax, "The Fear Woman" abounds in pictorial beauty. To less than thirty-two superb interior settings are enjoyed in the course of the drama and the star is seen in twenty-three distinct changes of costume. Photographically the play is said to set a new standard; and these merits, coupled with the artistry of a faultless cast, all promise unusual enjoyment to Pauline Frederick's nationwide legion of admirers.

Thursday—Suppose you found that the famous violinist with whom you had fallen in love had served six months in a reformatory on a charge of theft? And that all evidence pointed to her as being the thief in another robbery? What would you do in a case like this? This is the striking situation in "The Social Pirate" starring June Elvidge. It is the story of a beautiful South American girl who comes to America to win fame and fortune, and is striking, unusual, enterprising.

More's.

Today—The Japanese gambler's past was that he always paid his debts, whether financial or moral. He owed a debt of revenge to the man who had killed him, and he started out to pay it. But he owed a greater debt to the girl who saved his life. When caught face to face with the alternative of taking his revenge on his enemy, or paying his debt of gratitude to the girl by sparing her lover, he paid the latter debt. Sessue Hayakawa in "His Debt" is a story that grips the heart, and fires the imagination.

Wednesday—"Almost Married" tells the story of a young Swiss beauty who comes to New York and by her marvelous voice captures the big city. She becomes the most talked-of attraction of the famous show and it was for these scenes that the settings, familiar to all visitors to New York, were used. May Allison created some elaborate and stunning gowns which she wears in the play.

Thursday—"Choosing A Wife," tells the remarkable story of a man who for three years unintentionally led a woman to believe that he loved her. This period represents the time he was in the South Seas and when he comes back he suddenly finds himself called upon to choose between the woman whom he should rightfully marry, and the woman he really loves.

Visit Our Mattress Display.

A display room has been opened by Price's Mattress Factory at 203 West Wilbarger street—next door to the factory. You are invited to visit our display of new mattresses. We also take over your old mattress and give a new lease on life.

PRICE'S MATTRESS FACTORY,
203 West Wilbarger Street. Phone No. 33. Adv. 38-14

L. D. Terrell went to Dallas Sunday. He expects to transact business in Fort Worth and return to Vernon today.

Miss Carol Shannon of Whitesboro visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Sherrill.

Blue prints of all kinds—architectural and mechanical drafting. Room 7, Katz building. S. E. Humphreys, 50-51c

Mrs. M. A. Blair left this morning for one Oak, after visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. V. Murray.

Visit our Edison department and hear one real music from the Jazz up to the grand operas. B. & W. Drug Co. 53-21c

R. C. Johnson of Miami, Okla., spent Sunday in Vernon a guest of his daughter, Mrs. C. J. Farrell. Mr. Johnson is a pioneer resident here, and has many friends in this county.

ODELL BOY WITH 3 WAR MEDALS HERE

SERGEANT JESSIE MORRISON HAS D. S. C. CROSS DE GUERRE AND MEDAL MILITAIRE.

Sergeant Jesse Morrison is at his home near Odell on a furlough from the base hospital at Fort Sam Houston, Texas. Sergeant Morrison was decorated last Saturday with the French Croix de Guerre and the Medal Militaire by Lieutenant John Storey. The medals were given to Lieutenant Storey to present to the soldier by his company commander. The sergeant is also wearing a Distinguished Service Cross. The decorations were awarded for bravery in action in the St. Albans campaign.

Sergeant Morrison went through the war without a scratch and sustained a broken arm and leg after the armistice was signed. The arm healed readily and gave him little trouble but the injury to the lower limb resulted more seriously. The bones apparently have not knitted together in the least. His leg does not pain him but he can bend the limb at the broken place almost as though it were a joint. The sergeant attributes this to defective setting in the first place and believes an operation will be necessary before the injury will ever be benefited. He says he will not receive his discharge until every effort is made to make his leg sound.

Drink at our fountain. B. & W. Drug Co. Adv. 53-21c

Price Denny of Chillicothe visited friends and relatives in Vernon Sunday.

I can cover your grain anywhere—stacks, shocks and bins. See me, Old McColloch. 53-21c

Misses Daisy Jones and Mattie Smith returned from Electra Monday. They had been visiting Miss Lorena Friend and Mrs. E. M. Friend accompanied them home to have some dental work done in Vernon.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces, expelling the poison from the blood and healing the diseased portions.

After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Hinds News.

Hinds, July 21.—(By special correspondence.)—This part of the county has been visited with heavy showers since Tuesday night. It was fine on corn and feed, but bad on threshing. The threshers haven't run in about a week and it will be several days yet before they can thresh. Some were fortunate enough to have their grain threshed before the rain. Most of the wheat is averaging from 20 to 25 bushels per acre and oats from 50 to 75 bushels per acre. It is really better than the farmers expected, after the rust, worms, and hail. Late gardens will do well after the rain.

Clyde Mathus has been sick with typhoid fever for about two weeks, but is getting along as well as could be expected. We hope for a speedy recovery. The others of the family were vaccinated Sunday as a preventive against the disease.

Mrs. Clyde Muller and children, Olin and Meta Joe, went to Davidson, Okla., Wednesday to spend several days visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Allison were visitors in these parts Tuesday. They had just returned from their farms at Silverton and Canyon. Mr. Allison said he thought his wheat at Canyon would average 35 bushels to the acre.

Mr. and Mrs. James and children and Tom Duke and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Winslett.

Quite a number of young folks from here attended a party at Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Welch's of Red Bluff Friday night.

Owing to threatening weather and muddy roads we had no Sunday School Sunday.

W. C. Roddy failed to bring the mail on route 3 Thursday on account of muddy roads.

Those that were visitors of Vernon Saturday were: Mrs. T. Q. Dyess and daughter, Nellie, S. B. Hughes and Misses Nell, Leota and Leona Hughes, Mrs. Lillie Halford, and Miss Nannie May and Johnnie Halford, Mr. and Mrs. Turner and son, Charlie, Misses Verna and Pearl Mathus, J. D. Allison and family, Clyde and Claude Muller, Tom Duke and sons, Misses Floy and Cora Liles, Jack Peppers, Mrs. Long and children, Jack and Marie and Jim Holland.

There will be preaching Sunday by the pastor, Rev. Frank McNair.

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Always Ask for Genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin"



Only Aspirin Tablets with the safety "Bayer Cross" on them are genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," owned and made by Americans and proved safe by millions of people. Unknown quantities of fraudulent Aspirin Tablets were sold recently by a Brooklyn dealer which proved to be composed mostly of talcum powder.

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" should always be asked for. Then look for the safety "Bayer Cross" on the package and on each tablet. Accept nothing else! Proper directions and dosage in each Bayer package.

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Hail on Cotton, Oil Derivatives, Farm Property, Trucks and Autos covered anywhere. Livestock of all kinds, in fact anything of value can be insured and only in the best companies.

See me at Waggoner National Bank Yours truly

C. S. MCCOLLOCH

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It contains Meat Scrap, Bone Meal, Fish Meal, and Flax Seed Meal, ingredients necessary for Bone, Feathers, Eggs and Flesh.

Car Load on Hand \$4.90 Per Hundred—any kind.

Brown's Cash Grocery

The only place in the county where you can buy high grade chicken feed at car lot prices. Two pounds of feed produces a dozen eggs or a pound of flesh.

At the PICTORIUM THEATRE

TUESDAY.

"The Serpent" featuring Theda Bara.
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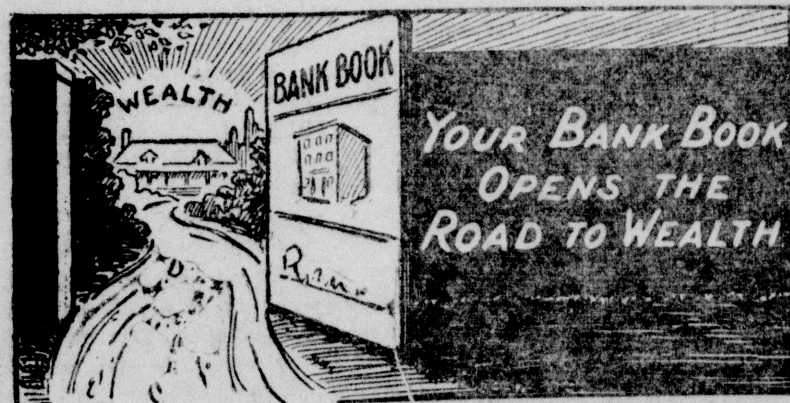
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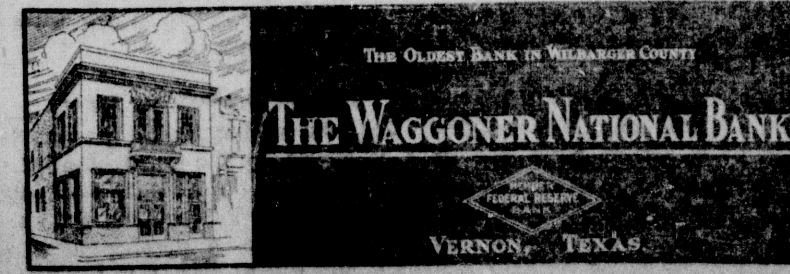
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16,337 BOOKS ARE BORROWED IN YEAR OF LOCAL LIBRARY

Miss Lillian Newton Submits Report Showing 2,357 People Have Read More Than Four Times Number of Volumes on Shelves in 12 Months—Half of Members in Country.

The Vernon Carnegie Library has loaned 16,337 books during the year ending July 4. This is more than four times the total number of books on the shelves of the institution, and is an average of seven books for each member.

The annual report of Miss Lillian Newton, librarian, shows that there are 3,633 volumes in the library, and the membership 2,357. Of the members, Miss Newton says at least half live outside of Vernon. The country people are even more frequent callers at the library than people living in town.

Miss Newton's report follows: "I have the honor to present herewith a report on the condition of the Vernon Free Library on July 4, 1919, and of the work done during the year ending with that date. This report is intended to account for the library's activities during the time that I have had charge of it.

"The library collection now contains 3,633 volumes. Of this number, 528 are Congressional Records, 156 are reference books, 332 volumes have been accessioned during the year, twenty-five books were lost, or lost and paid for, making our net gain 307 volumes.

"During the year the entire collection of books has been classified, and catalogued, according to the 'Decimal' or 'Dewey' system, in which figures are used as symbols for classes. This classification scheme is recommended by the American Library Association. I found the work of cataloging the books a very laborious undertaking and it has taken a great deal of my time.

"In spite of war and epidemic, the total circulation for home use during the year amounted to 16,337 volumes. \$108.56 cents has been taken in during the year for fines and the sale of membership cards.

Trying to Serve School Pupils.
"2,357 people now hold membership cards. It is my opinion that 50 per cent of these people live in the country. During the first five months of the year the library was in close relation to several war activities and while no detailed account was kept of the work done, yet a constant effort was made to serve on the side of patriotism. The

numerous posters sent out by our Government was kept constantly upon our bulletin boards, and all the circulation possible was given the pamphlets and circulars sent out by the United States Food Administration and other departments of our Government.

"A great effort is being made to serve high school and grammar school students in the reference department and a good deal of the time their inquiries are so numerous just after 4 o'clock, the time for the closing of school, that one person cannot do justice to all of them.

"Circular letters have been mailed to six women's clubs inviting co-operation with their program committees. In this way the library will be better able to provide for their courses of study.

"Realizing that in childhood habits and tastes are formed that have most to do with the development of character, a special effort is being made to place upon the shelves books suitable for children.

"The library is indebted to Mrs. C. V. King and her loyal helpers for their efforts to beautify the library lawn and to furnish the library auditorium. The auditorium has been made very comfortable and is now open to the public.

"In my opinion the greatest handicap of the library at present is the need of an adequate book fund.

"I take this occasion to thank the library board and my patrons for co-operation and a kindly assistance throughout the year.

"LILLIAN NEWTON, Librarian."

Mrs. J. K. Wilkes is in Oklahoma City visiting her brother, W. P. Charlton, and her sister, Mrs. D. D. Jones.

Mrs. L. E. Piper and daughter, Dorothy, returned Sunday morning from San Antonio, where they have been visiting relatives for several days.

Misses Natalie and Nona Rogers returned to their home in Quannah Saturday after a visit with friends in Vernon.

J. T. Brooks, cashier at the Frisco depot, was called Saturday to the bedside of his son in San Antonio. Reports say he is in a serious condition.

Mrs. R. E. Thorne and son, Robert, Jr., returned Saturday to her home in Dallas after a several days' visit in Vernon with her sister, Mrs. O. H. Corbett.

Miss Melba Ruth Pickens has returned home from Fort Worth, where she has been in the sanitarium of Doctors Johnson and Bell for some time.

Miss Celta Greene left Saturday for Fort Worth to visit her sister, Mrs. C. R. Staley, who is being treated in the All-Saints Hospital. Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. Staley is steadily improving.

OVER 700 CARS OIL THROUGH VERNON IN 20 DAYS VIA FRISCO

Petroleum From Texas Field to Northern Points Crowds Local Railroad Yards—Heavy Shipments of Grain Make Up for Decrease in Oil Due to Closing of Burk-Waggoner Pool.

In the face of the fact that production has been closed down in the Waggoner Pool at Burk Burnett, affecting a large per cent of the wells in the Wichita fields, over seven hundred cars of oil have been shipped through the local Frisco yards so far this month. The traffic during the first few days of the month was such that Local Agent L. L. Herald estimated that there would be near 2,500 cars pass through Vernon during July. The oil is hauled from the Texas oil fields through Vernon to Northern points.

Even with the decrease of oil traffic both the Denver and Frisco yards are more or less congested at all times. Heavy shipments of grain from Vernon are making up, to a large extent, for the decrease in oil shipments. The passenger traffic, local agents say, is heavier than for several years.

Beautiful black kid pumps just received at McKibbin's. Sizes 3 1/2 to 7, widths triple A to C. 11c

Mrs. Nettie Denton of Ponta, Cherokee county, is in Vernon visiting her brother-in-law, Dr. E. Barnes.

F. W. Gardner of the Wm. Cameron Lumber Company spent Sunday in Chillicothe with his family. He reports a big rain in that section.

J. H. E. Young left Saturday morning for Tulsa, Okla., to be at the bedside of his mother, who is seriously ill.

If you are not getting satisfactory results with your kodak, let us help you to make better pictures. No charge. Kramer Studio. Adv. 30-11c

Contractor and Builder

I have returned to Vernon and will engage in the contracting and building business. I have had years of experience in the business in Waco and would be glad to figure with you before you let your contract.

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TISDAL DELEGATE TO COTTON CONFERENCE

COUNTY AGENT APPOINTED TO
WORLD MEETING IN NEW OR-
LEANS OCTOBER 14-16.

County Agent N. R. Tisdal has received advice from Rufus R. Wilson, secretary of the World Cotton Conference, advising of his appointment by Chairman J. R. MacColl as a delegate from Texas to the conference, which is to be held in New Orleans, La., October 13, 14, 15 and 16. Mr. Tisdal is not sure whether he will be able to attend.

The number of delegates that will attend this conference promises to exceed 6,000 and the session will be unparalleled in history, both in magnitude of attendance representing the cotton industry and in the thoroughness with which the industry in all of its ramifications will be studied. Quoting Mr. Wilson, "the conference meets at a most critical time, and if the hopes of those responsible for it are fulfilled, it is sure to have a most beneficial influence in improving and standardizing

the conditions that have long called for a betterment."

The United States was chosen as the meeting place of this World Cotton Conference because of its position as the largest cotton-producing nation in the world and New Orleans was selected as the city because of being one of the largest southern cities and a center of the cotton industry, says a bulletin issued dealing with the conference.

Miss Mamie Weaver of Wortham, Texas, is visiting her friend, Miss Marion Jones.

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A good assortment in light weight, staple and semi-conservative models offer splendid selections from which to choose. To close them out now,

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ONE DESIRABLE RESULT.

There is but one desirable result of high living costs. People are more and more turning their attention to farming. Many who find it difficult to exist in towns and cities even at the high prices paid for labor are beginning to do some constructive thinking. This inevitably leads in the direction of the farm. Greater production is the only way to beat down high living costs. The only way to obtain greater production is to get more people in the producing business. There are too few producers and too many consumers in this country. The drift back to the farms has been brought about by two things. One is the high cost of town living and the other is the increased attractiveness of farming. Farm products bring a good price and will continue to do so for years to come. This makes farming profitable because it is a producing business. Another thing, the farm is not as lonely as it formerly was. Good roads, automobiles, telephones and rural mail delivery have taken the farm from its place of isolation and brought it into vital touch with the outside world. To make the farm even more attractive is to have these conveniences in a greater degree. And good roads is the keystone that supports the arch. Good roads mean more automobiles, more profitable farming and carry city conveniences to the country home.

Good roads will cure more problems than we imagine. Let's have more of them. They come high but they are worth the money.

DON'T GO "HOG WILD."

In the language of a certain citizen of questionable prominence, prohibitionists in Congress have gone "hog wild" over the attempt to enforce National prohibition. The Record believes that a majority of the people of the United States favor prohibition in the generally accepted meaning of the term.

It is also equally certain that a vast majority do not endorse the extreme lengths to which Congress has gone in the effort to enforce National prohibition. To subject private homes to search without the formality of a warrant from a court of competent jurisdiction and to propose the organization of an irresponsible spy system from whose operations no citizen and no home is exempt is unwarranted and will not long be tolerated by a free people. To find anything like a parallel case one must go to the edicts of the Czars.

To correct one evil the prohibitionists in Congress under the whip of the Anti-Saloon League are proposing to inflict on the people of the United States greater evil. In other words, they seem to go on the theory that if the patient can't be cured he should be killed. The Record believes a cure can be effected.

The drastic law which Congress seems certain to enact will bring about a reaction and the Anti-Saloon League is planning less wisely than its leaders think.

There can be no doubt that West Texans and citizens of the Panhandle in particular are disappointed at Governor Hobby's failure to attempt to correct the

wrong that has been done against this section for ten years in the matter of representation in the State Senate. The Governor found both time and opportunity to submit a bill permitting prize fights in Texas and other subjects of but little more importance to the special session. He called a special session to pass a law of doubtful constitutionality permitting soldiers to vote, but he was silent on senatorial redistricting. It is hardly fair, however, to lay all blame for this situation at the door of Governor Hobby. So far as known representatives in the Legislature from West Texas took only an academic interest in the matter and Senators and Representatives from East Texas have long displayed a feeling of hostility toward the most rapidly growing section of the State. It was perhaps due to these conditions that the Governor did not feel impelled to submit the subject, but he could have at least cleared his own skirts by urging the Legislature to do the fair thing by West Texas.

Opposition to the ratification of the peace treaty seems to be less militant than before President Wilson's return from Paris. The numerous suggestions of a willingness of Senators to ratify with certain minor reservations is sufficient to prove this statement. If the Republicans were confident they could block ratification suggestions of a compromise would not be forthcoming. Nobody offers to compromise a thing until hope of defeating it is passed and this effort on the part of opposition to get out of an embarrassing predicament without a full surrender is the very best evidence that their fight is a hopeless one.

Mrs. Pearl Moore and children of Ft. Collins, Colo., are visiting her sister, Mrs. W. M. Rowland.

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11 ARRESTED FOR
EXCEEDING SPEED
LIMIT THURSDAY

Sheriff W. A. Ish Declares Warning Will Be Vigorously Carried Into Effect—Will Prosecute for Driving With One Light and Other Violations of Law.

Eleven arrests Thursday night on charges of speeding is convincing evidence that the repeated warnings issued by both city and county traffic officers have been made in good faith and not merely as a bluff. This number of speedsters were apprehended by City Marshal R. H. Bratton and County Traffic Officer J. W. Carrington on Wilbarger street alone, and in a comparatively short time.

The Thursday night affair is a forerunner to a vigorous campaign to be waged by both city and county officials against violations of highway laws. "We have been lenient enough with these people," declared Sheriff W. A. Ish, "but apparently our leniency is not appreciated. Repeated warnings have been sounded through the papers and otherwise only to be winked at as a joke. Evidently the only way to enforce the law is by actual arrests and we will follow that policy in the future."

Speeding Not Only Violation.

"The arrests Thursday night are merely a beginning," Mr. Carrington asserted. "The people of Vernon and Wilbarger county have gotten into a habit of driving and doing as they pleased with their cars until it has be-

comes dangerous for children to be on the streets of Vernon. No discrimination will be practiced. The arrest will be made regardless of who the offender may be."

"While speeding is probably the most prevalent violation at the present time it is by no means the only one and the campaign will not be limited to the speeders," said Mr. Bratton. "Automobiles with but one light, or with defective breaks, or with no numbers are a common sight on the streets. These regulations will be enforced as strictly as the speed limit law."

County Attorney R. D. L. Killough has declared his intention of vigorously prosecuting every offender arrested. "These highway laws must be observed and I am going to do all in my power to convict the offenders," he said.

Card of Thanks.

We take this means of expressing our most hearty appreciation of the invaluable assistance and many expressions of sympathy tendered us by our friends in Vernon during the recent burial of our beloved mother.

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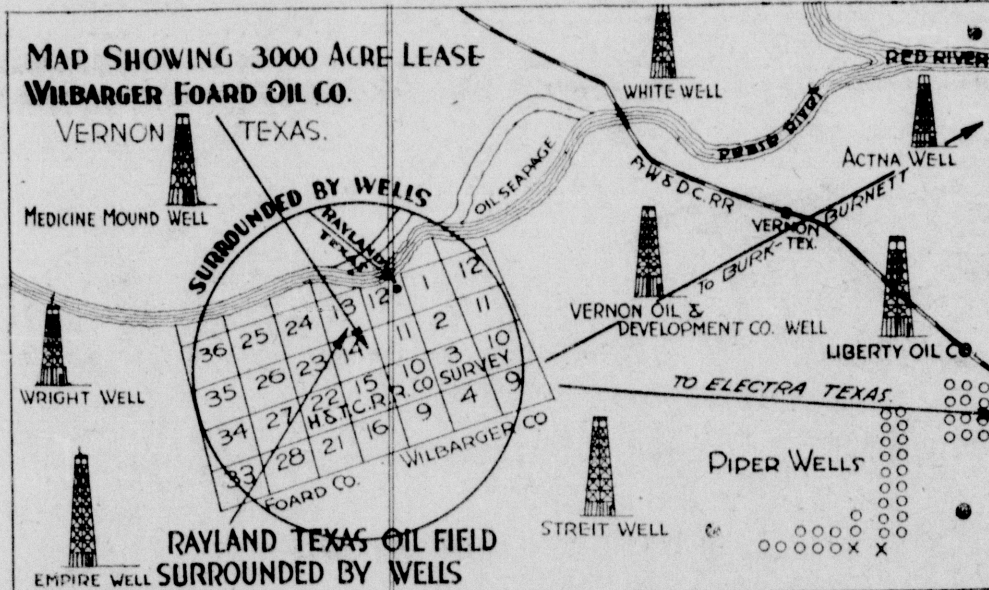
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This is predicted by some of the best oil men in the state and some of the best geologists in the country to be the next Burkburnett pool.

Wilbarger-Foard Oil Co.,

Vernon, Texas.

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Gentlemen:

The specimen of cutting from the well of the Wilbarger-Foard Oil Company, at about 200 foot level as shown by analysis to be highly impregnated with high grade petroleum oil. The formation in which it was found was a porous lime rock. This, in most fields, would indicate shallow oil. I will take this opportunity of asking you to use every precaution in keeping the well log and preserving the cutting from the well and the record, as the horizon of the upper Pennsylvanian formation in this locality runs from 400 to 2,500 feet.

Thanking you for your promptness in sending well cuttings and wishing you all success, I am,

Yours truly,

F. G. LEWIS, Commercial Geologist.

References—Any Bank in Vernon

Well No. 1 on Section 13 was 200 feet Monday and formation good.

Wilbarger-Foard Oil Co.

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VERNON, TEXAS

ASKS SPUR FOR ROAD BUILDING MATERIAL

JUDGE E. L. McHUGH MAKES APPLICATION TO RAILROAD COMMISSION.

The handling of the road material shipped from Oklahoma to be used in construction of the Vernon-Oklahoma highway will be greatly facilitated by the construction of a spur from the Frisco Railway near the East View Cemetery, if the application of County Judge E. L. McHugh to the Railroad Commission is honored.

The building of a spur track at this point would operate as a relief to the already crowded yards in Vernon and at the same time would considerably shorten the hauls of wagons, Judge McHugh pointed out. An added advantage, he said, would be that it would eliminate the necessity of hauling through the streets of the city.

Bids for paving four and two-thirds miles of this highway will be opened July 30, and, once the contract is let, the contractor will commence work immediately, it is believed. The paving will probably be well under way within the next thirty days.

O. A. Swinburn, who has the contract for the bridges and culverts, has recently completed the bridge over Plum creek and the culverts were completed some time ago. The bridge over Paradise creek is yet to be constructed.

East Vernon News.

East Vernon, July 19.—(By special correspondence.)—This part of the country has been visited by several good showers this week. The row crops are all looking fine. There is still lots of grain to be threshed.

W. M. Bowman and family spent Sunday with Lon Turket in the Dawson Valley community.

Charlie Burchfield and Alton Mathews of the West Hinds community spent Saturday night with Enoch Berry.

Misses Edna and Della Love are visiting their brother in the Rayland community.

Lillie Burchfield spent Sunday with Vera White.

Mrs. Myers spent Sunday with Miss Minnie Love.

Mr. Odum and family spent Sunday with Tom Forester.

Mrs. Bertha Linton spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Sullivan in Vernon.

Miss Susie Murrell of Weatherford, is quite sick with typhoid fever at the home of her sister, Mrs. Walter Lyon, in Northeast Vernon.

Mildred and Margaret Hawley of Holaday are visiting at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Huggins.

\$15,000 HOME FOR T. J. YOUNGBLOOD

CONTRACT FOR TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING IS LET TO F. A. SABLE.

T. J. Youngblood has awarded a contract to F. A. Sable for the erection of a modern two-story brick residence. The site of Mr. Youngblood's new home is the lot at the corner of Wilbarger and Tolar streets, occupied by his present frame residence. This will be moved south some 200 feet and will face west on Tolar street. After the completion of his new home Mr. Youngblood will either dispose of it or use it as a rent house.

The plans for the new home call for ten rooms, basement, furnace heat, a sheltered driveway, sleeping porches and other modern conveniences. It will be about \$15,000.

Mr. Youngblood has disposed of two lots east of his residence, one to Dr. Hines Clark of Crowell and the other to W. A. Wilhelm, both of whom expect to improve the property at an early date.

Warning.

Notice is hereby given that no hunting, plum gathering, or trespassing in any way will be allowed on my farm north of Dooms. Anyone caught violating this notice will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

43-11 Adv. MRS. BENA WATTS.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Ferguson returned Saturday from an automobile trip to Fort Worth. Dr. and Mrs. N. C. Eike continued on their trip to South Texas for an extended visit.

Not the Only One.

There Are Other Vernon People Similarly Situated.

Can there be any stronger proof offered than the evidence of Vernon residents? After you have read the following, quietly answer the question.

J. J. Manis, owns Auto Accessory store, N. Bowie St., Vernon says: "Some years ago my back and kidneys were in bad shape, caused from a strain. My back was so bad I could hardly turn over in bed. There was a heavy pain across my back and hips. My back was so sore and lame at night. My kidneys were in awful shape and were inflamed. Irregular and weak in action. The kidney secretions contained sediment and were painful in passage. I used different kidney remedies but none of them did me any good. I finally bought Doan's Kidney Pills at Pendleton & Son's Drug Company, and two boxes of this medicine cured me of every symptom of kidney complaint. The cure Doan's Kidney Pills gave me has been permanent."

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That no stock of good rocking chairs in Vernon can compare with ours in lowness of price. Result, dozens of men and women, good judges of values are buying rockers here every week. It pays to trade here.

THE EVERY-THING STORE.

Mrs. J. D. Thompson returned Tuesday from an extended visit with relatives in Abilene.

Pumps and Oxfords that we should have had in May, just getting in. We have accepted these, \$2.00 a pair off. You get the saving. McKibbin. Itc

We appreciate your patronage. B. & W. Drug Co. Adv. 53-2tc

H. S. Fondy of Amarillo was a business visitor in Vernon Saturday.

McKibbin shoe department, the best west of Fort Worth. New styles in pumps. Triple A to 3. Itc

Charles Blackwood returned Saturday from Fort Worth, where he went for treatment to his eye, which was recently lacerated by glass from an exploding bottle. Physicians are uncertain yet whether the vision will be lost in that eye.

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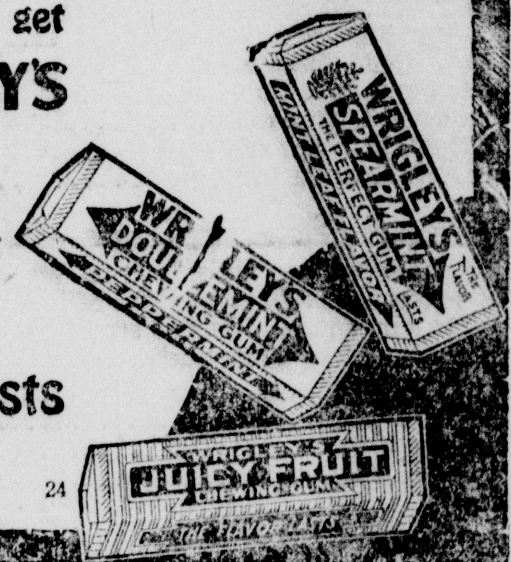
Three flavors to suit all tastes.

Be SURE to get

WRIGLEY'S

Sealed Tight Kept Right

The Flavor Lasts



Our fine line of candies, Norris, King and Chocolate Shops received each week. B. & W. Drug Co. Adv. 53-2tc

Mrs. O. G. Lewis and children left this morning for Texline to join their husband and father who assumed the management of the Roberts & Oliver Lumber Yard in that place on July 10.

Miss Xymena Trout returned Sunday from a several days' visit with relatives in Olney.

Miss Eunice Johnson of Miami, Okla., arrived Tuesday on a visit with her sister, Mrs. C. J. Farrell. Their father, R. C. Johnson, was a visitor in Vernon Sunday.

See our assortment of Kewpie dolls. B. & W. Drug Co. Adv. 53-2tc

H. W. Norwood spent Sunday at home and remained in Vernon yesterday to look up some matters of business for the Bark-Kay Oil Company, with which he is connected at Wichita Falls.



United States Tires are Good Tires

The Real Thing Right Through

Put United States Tires under your car and you'll find them the real thing.

They're built to wear—to give you the kind of economical service you want. And that's just what they do.

Hundreds of thousands of regular users will vouch for that—lots of them right around here.

There are five distinct types of United States Tires—one for every need of price or use.

We have *exactly* the ones for your car.

We *Know* United States Tires Are *GOOD* Tires That's Why We Sell Them

LADD'S PLACE, Vernon.
C. S. RUTLEDGE, Tolbert.
HERRING-SHOWERS CO., Harrold.

OUR SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE LASTS ALL THIS WEEK

Our Entire Stock of Men's and Young Men's Suits at Clearance Prices

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| All Men's \$24.50 Suits on sale at | \$19.85 |
| All Men's \$29.50 Suits on sale at | 24.85 |
| All Men's \$34.50 Suits on sale at | 29.85 |
| All Men's \$39.50 Suits on sale at | 34.85 |
| All Men's \$44.50 Suits on sale at | 37.85 |

Men's Palm Beach and Other Featherweight Suits for Hot Weather, While They Last

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| All \$12.50 Suits on sale at | \$ 9.85 | All \$18.00 Suits on sale at | 13.85 |
| All \$15.00 Suits on sale at | 11.85 | All \$20.00 Suits, on sale at | 14.85 |

MEN'S ODD PANTS AT CLEARANCE PRICES.

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| Men's \$5.00 Odd Pants in this sale for | \$3.95 | Men's \$8.50 Odd Pants in this sale for | 6.95 |
| Men's \$6.50 Odd Pants in this sale for | 4.95 | Men's \$10.00 Odd Pants in this sale for | 7.95 |

Boys' Palm Beach Suits, Wash Suits, and Woolen Suits at Reduced Prices

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| \$2.50 Boys' Wash Suits on sale | \$ 1.95 | \$7.50 Boys' Woolen Suits on sale | 5.95 |
| \$3.00 Boys' Wash Suits on sale | 2.35 | \$8.50 Boys' Woolen Suits on sale | 6.95 |
| \$3.50 Boys' Wash Suits on sale | 2.95 | \$10.00 Boys' Woolen Suits on sale | 7.95 |
| \$4.00 Boys' Wash Suits on sale | 3.35 | \$12.50 Boys' Woolen Suits on sale | 9.85 |
| \$5.00 Palm Beach and Wash Suits at | 3.95 | \$15.00 Boys' Woolen Suits on sale | 10.85 |
| | | \$19.50 Boys' Woolen Suits on sale | 13.85 |

Wash Skirts, Silk Skirts and Wool Skirts at Half Price

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| All \$2.50 Wash Skirts, now | \$1.25 | All \$9.50 Dress Skirts, now | \$ 4.75 |
| All \$3.00 Wash Skirts, now | 1.50 | All \$12.50 Dress Skirts, now | 6.25 |
| All \$3.50 Wash Skirts, now | 1.75 | All \$14.50 Dress Skirts, now | 7.25 |
| All \$4.00 Wash Skirts, now | 2.00 | All \$17.50 Dress Skirts, now | 8.75 |
| All \$5.00 Wash Skirts, now | 2.50 | All \$19.50 Dress Skirts, now | 9.75 |
| All \$6.00 Wash Skirts, now | 3.00 | All \$24.50 Dress Skirts, now | 12.25 |

Beautiful New Blouses.

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| \$1.00 Blouses, now | \$.85 |
| \$1.50 Blouses, now | 1.25 |
| \$2.00 Blouses, now | 1.65 |
| \$2.50 Blouses, now | 1.95 |
| \$3.00 Blouses, now | 2.35 |
| \$5.00 Blouses, now | 3.65 |
| \$6.00 Blouses, now | 4.85 |
| \$7.50 Blouses, now | 5.85 |
| \$8.50 Blouses, now | 6.65 |
| \$9.50 Blouses, now | 7.85 |
| \$11.50 Blouses, now | 8.95 |
| \$12.50 Blouses, now | 9.85 |
| \$14.50 Blouses, now | 10.85 |

ALL PETTICOATS REDUCED

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| \$1.50 Petticoats, now | \$1.19 |
| \$2.00 Petticoats, now | 1.65 |
| \$2.50 Petticoats, now | 1.95 |
| \$3.00 Petticoats, now | 2.35 |
| \$3.50 Petticoats, now | 2.85 |
| \$4.00 Petticoats, now | 3.35 |
| \$5.00 Petticoats, now | 3.95 |
| \$6.00 Petticoats, now | 4.95 |
| \$7.50 Petticoats, now | 5.95 |
| \$9.50 Petticoats, now | 7.95 |
| \$12.50 Petticoats, now | 8.95 |

Staple Cotton Goods

Owing to the recent heavy advance on all cotton goods, we are making very few reductions on this class of merchandise. However, we believe a comparison of our prices will result in your making your purchases here.

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| Gold Bond Bleached Domestic, yard wide | 25c |
| Hope Bleached Domestic, yard wide | 29c |
| 10-4 Garza Bleached Sheet, per yard | 65c |
| Red Seal Dress Gingham, per yard | 25c |
| 36 inch Percales, light and dark colors, per yard | 25c |
| 50c Shirting Madras, yard wide, per yard | 39c |
| Standard Table Oil Cloth, per yard | 45c |
| Knight's 33 inch Cambric, per yard | 29c |
| Amoskeag ACA Feather Tick, per yard | 50c |

Dainty Summer Under-muslins.

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| \$1.00 Undermuslins | \$.85 |
| \$1.25 Undermuslins | .98 |
| \$1.50 Undermuslins | 1.19 |
| \$2.00 Undermuslins | 1.65 |
| \$2.50 Undermuslins | 1.95 |
| \$3.00 Undermuslins | 2.35 |
| \$3.50 Undermuslins | 2.95 |
| Silk Underwear | |
| \$5.00 Silk Underwear | \$3.95 |
| \$6.00 Silk Underwear | 4.95 |
| \$7.00 Silk Underwear | 5.95 |
| \$9.00 Silk Underwear | 6.95 |
| \$10.00 Silk Underwear | 7.95 |
| \$12.50 Silk Underwear | 8.95 |

ALL SILK DRESS GOODS REDUCED

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| 65c Silks, reduced to | \$.49 |
| 75c Silks, reduced to | .59 |
| \$1.00 Silks, reduced to | .85 |
| \$1.25 Silks, reduced to | .98 |
| \$1.50 Silks, reduced to | 1.25 |
| \$1.75 Silks, reduced to | 1.45 |
| \$2.00 Silks, reduced to | 1.65 |
| \$2.50 Silks, reduced to | 1.85 |
| \$3.00 Silks, reduced to | 2.35 |
| \$5.00 Silks, reduced to | 3.95 |

Vernon,

Perkins-Timberlake Company

Texas

Clearance July Sales

A Clean Sweep Must Be Effected of All Spring Goods. Big Price Reductions on All Lines

This time of the year we start ridding our store of all spring goods. It is part of our policy that none are to be carried over from season to season, and we always aim to live up to the letter. We know these goods will step along lively; the reductions they recite will make them find ready owners in a hurry. So we would advise all who wish to patronize them not to wait too long before deciding to act, for the cream of the lot is liable to be gone, while you are thinking it over.

Our business this year so far has by far excelled our fondest expectations; we

could never have reached our present standing without your full co-operation and we want to show our appreciation by offering you these choice values.

In this sale we will include everything in our present stocks of Spring and Summer merchandise. With a possible exception now and then on items that have prices restricted by the manufacturers of the item.

The 8 days of this sale will be fast selling ones. The prices listed below are well worth receiving immediate consideration and are only a sprinkling to what you'll find when you come inside the store.



Begins
Saturday
July 26

EDITORIAL.

Many people would like to know the reason "why" of this store's phenomenal success. The explanation is simple—very simple indeed. It has to do with the old, old adage, "Honesty Is the Best Policy." We don't want to make capital out of honesty. Neither do we want to advertise the fact that we are honest. We just want to tell others how very pleasant and profitable we have found it to conduct a business on the good, old fashioned plan of truth telling and plain dealing. The confidence of our customers is a pleasant source of inspiration. It spurs us on to further efforts. In seeking to further their interests we invariably further our own. Honesty pays in the broadest sense of the word and this successful and constantly growing business is indisputable evidence, conspicuous evidence of the fact.

Ends
Saturday
Aug. 2



Clearance of Waists—Georgette, Crepe de Chine, Voiles and Organdy.

All embody the most recent style ideas of the season; late spring and summer models, every one of them. You'll effect wonderful savings if you buy them at these prices:

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| Wirthmor Blouses, all reduced to | \$.89 |
| Wellworth Blouses, all reduced to | 1.69 |
| All of our \$3.50 Organdy Wash Waists | 2.39 |
| All of our \$5.50 Organdy Wash Waists, reduced to | 3.95 |
| All of our \$5.00 Georgette and Crepe de Chine Blouses at | 3.69 |
| All of our \$6.00 and \$6.50 Georgette Blouses on sale | 4.95 |
| All of our \$7.50 Georgette Blouses on sale at | 5.85 |
| All of our \$10.00 Georgette Blouses on sale at | 7.69 |
| All of our \$12.50 Georgette Blouses on sale at | 9.85 |
| All of our \$14.50 and \$15.00 Georgette Blouses on sale at | 10.95 |
| All of our \$16.50 and \$17.50 Georgette Blouses on sale at | 12.95 |

All of Our Silk Dresses Greatly Reduced.

The assortment comprises styles for all occasions, even though the stocks are somewhat broken. These prices will certainly entice you to buy when you see them. One lot of Taffeta and Satin Dresses at exactly half their former marked price, 1-2 PRICE

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| \$45.00 Satin Dresses, with tricolet panel | \$28.95 |
| \$35.00 Silk Dresses reduced to | 23.95 |
| \$29.50 and \$30.00 Silk Dresses, reduced to | 18.95 |
| \$25.00 Silk Dresses, reduced to | 15.45 |
| \$19.50 and \$20.00 Silk Dresses reduced to | 12.45 |

Clearance of Boys' Wash Suits.

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| All one grade; our \$2.50 number on sale at | \$1.69 |
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Clearance of Women's and Children's Low Shoes.

Naturally no high shoes will be included in this sale, but every pair of low shoes will be included without exception. These prices will make room for our fall shoes:

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| All of our \$8.50 and \$9.00 Pumps and Oxfords on sale at | \$6.89 |
| All of our \$7.50 and \$8.00 Pumps and Oxfords on sale at | 6.29 |
| All of our \$6.00 and \$6.50 Pumps and Oxfords on sale at | 4.95 |
| All of our \$5.00 Pumps and Oxfords on sale at | 3.95 |
| All of our \$4.50 Pumps and Oxfords on sale at | 3.69 |
| All of our \$4.00 Pumps and Oxfords on sale at | 3.39 |
| All of our \$3.50 Pumps and Oxfords on sale at | 2.89 |
| All of our \$3.00 Pumps and Oxfords on sale at | 2.69 |
| All of our \$2.50 Children's low shoes on sale at | 1.98 |
| All of our \$2.00 Children's Low Cuts on sale at | 1.69 |

Clearance of Spring and Summer Coats—1-2 Price.

All of them were the season's late arrivals from Wooltex, Sunshine and other good makers. You'll require one of these for early fall wear and for cool evenings now. You will surely provide yourself with one of these when they carry such substantial savings.

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| All \$54.50 Coats in this sale at | \$27.25 |
| All \$49.50 Coats in this sale at | 24.75 |
| All \$24.50 Coats in this sale at | 12.25 |
| All \$16.50 Coats in this sale | 8.25 |

Skirts Half Price.

We have gone through our entire Skirt stock and have arranged about 40 skirts selected from our stocks of woolen as well as white Wash Skirts, on a rack, and placed a price card on them of just exactly half their former marked price. They're exceptional bargains indeed. You'll want one or more of them when you see them.

Ladies' and Children's White and Wash Dresses All Included in This Sale.

You'll want one of these cool, summery Wash Dresses. Who wouldn't at these greatly reduced prices:



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| All of our \$12.50 Wash Dresses reduced to | \$9.95 |
| All of our \$9.50 and \$10.00 Wash Dresses at | \$7.85 |
| All our \$7.50 Wash Dresses reduced to | \$6.29 |
| All of our \$5.00 Wash Dresses reduced to | \$3.69 |
| All of our \$3.50 Wash Dresses reduced to | 2.69 |

EXTRA SPECIAL—One lot of ladies' strap and plain pump low shoes, in patent and kid, a very complete size range from 2 1-2 to 5 1-2. Included in this lot are pumps that formerly sold for \$5.00; they are the odds and ends from this and last summer's selling at only \$1.95

Dainty Summer Muslins Reduced.

None reserved we have placed the entire line of Puritan Undermuslins on a table and cut the price to where we know they will be a regular clean up. Space is too limited for us to go into price detail, but you'll find them all reduced to fit your purse.

Bungalow Aprons at Extra Special Prices.

Splendid, cool, summery bungalow Aprons, dark and light colors. Our \$2.29 Star value Bungalow Aprons in this sale at \$1.98 Our \$1.50 grade Bungalow Aprons in this sale at 1.29



Men's Oxfords on Sale.

Just think of the prices manufacturers are getting for real high grade shoes like these quoted, and you'll lose no time in getting your supply of these Oxfords at the prices they are quoting. Of course the steady upward trend of the shoe and leather markets prevents us from reducing our stocks of high shoes, but we are making war on the prices of low shoes. Shoe price quotations will bear us out.

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| All of our \$6.50 Low Cuts on sale | \$4.45 |
| All of our \$7.50 Low Cuts on sale | 5.69 |
| All of our \$8.00 Low Cuts on sale | 6.50 |
| All of our \$9.00 Low Cuts on sale | 7.45 |
| One lot of men's Oxfords on counter that contains shoes formerly priced at \$6.00, now | \$3.35 |

Staple Goods.

The staple goods market is soaring and has already reached a higher level than it has been known to reach since the Civil War. There seems to be no immediate relief and furthermore it seems that in view of existing labor unrest that cotton goods of all characters will be much higher. The prices we quote now are away under the present market. You'll do well to lay in your supply for months at these prices.

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| Good quality full 36 inch Bleached Domestic, special 22c | |
| Full 9-4 very best quality Bleached Sheet, special 59c | |
| Good quality Dress Gingham, our 29c grade in this sale | |
| —includes our new fall patterns | 25c |
| Good quality Shirting Cheviot, worth much more | 25c |
| Extra quality Bed Sheets, seamless 81 by 90, at | \$1.45 |

Men's Straw and Panama Hats.

One lot of Straw and Panama Hats placed on a table— included in this lot will be all the odds and ends of our Straw Hat stock— they will be selected from a price range of \$2.00 as high as \$5.00. These will not last long at only \$1.85c. All of our other Straws and Panamas greatly reduced. They take up lots of room and we do not want to carry them over.

Men's Work Clothing.

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| Good heavy Overalls in blue or stripes—jumpers to match, in this sale at | \$1.79 |
| All of our \$1.50 grade Work Shirts | 1.29 |
| Good heavy Blue Work Shirts in this sale at | .85 |
| Men's \$2.00 grade Khaki Pants, size 34 to 44 | 1.79 |
| Men's \$1.75 grade Khaki Pants, size 34 to 44 | 1.55 |

Men's Imperial and Other Good Make Underwear.

All of our Summer Underwear reduced—none reserved. You'll want enough of these to do you next summer at these prices:

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| A good quality long sleeve, ankle length Union Suits, knitted, Balbriggan, EXTRA SPECIAL | .89c |
| Nainsook Union Suits, no sleeves, ankle length, our 85c grade | .69c |
| Nainsook and large cross-barred Union Suits, athletic style | .95c |
| All of our Imperial Union Suits, \$2.00 grade | \$1.79 |
| All of our Imperial Union Suits, \$3.00 grade | 2.65 |
| All of our Imperial Underwear, (\$5 grade, pure silk) on sale at | 3.95 |

SPECIAL.

Extra good quality Khaki Skirts that have been our leader, at \$1.25 In this sale they are priced .95c Good quality Black Sox, splendid for every day, wear our 20c grade in this sale for 12c



Clearance of Men's Furnishings.

Yes, it's clearance time for them; they must all find keepers, we haven't the space to carry them over. We know the prices they carry will help them to find keepers in a jiffy. Space prevents us from quoting all the prices we would like to, but our word goes out that you'll find them all reduced—with the exception probably of a few items with price restrictions from the manufacturer.

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| Odd lots of Neckties from our \$1.00, 75c and 50c Ties, in this sale | .39c |
| Men's Silk Shirts, all reduced | 10 PER CENT |
| Men's good quality Lisle Hose, black, tan, grey, navy, 35c grade | .25c |

Summer Wash Fabrics All Reduced.

All of our Voiles, Organdies and Summer Fabrics reduced in this sale. Sure to clean them all up in a jiffy.

This Sale is Purely a Cash-Raising Sale
Therefore we will not charge any merchandise at these prices.
Remember the dates, and arrange to be here opening day.

Only 8 Selling Days—Saturday July 26 to Saturday, August 2.

Russell's
Vernon, Texas

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VERNON, TEXAS

\$60,000 PREMIUMS FOR LIVE STOCK

STATE FAIR INCREASES APPRO- PRIATION TO THAT AMOUNT FOR VICTORY FAIR.

President Jno. M. Simpson, of the State Fair of Texas, believes thoroughly in the live stock industry. He is doing everything he possibly can to encourage it. To this end, at President Simpson's urgent request, the Board of Directors has appropriated the largest amount in its history, and the largest amount offered by any fair anywhere, for live stock at the Victory Fair this fall. The amount is apportioned as follows:

For Beef Cattle: Herefords, \$15,000; Aberdeen-Angus, \$5,000; Shorthorns, \$15,000; Red Polled, \$12,500.

For Dairy Cattle: Jerseys, \$3,000; Holsteins, \$3,000; Guernseys, \$500.

In addition to this, the number of special premiums has been largely increased.

To increase Texas cattle productiveness, these premiums have been offered. Already cattlemen from many sections of the country have entered their herds so that the cattle show at the Victory Fair will greatly surpass all former cattle shows.

FOR SALE

Real Estate

FIVE CHOICE RESIDENCE LOTS, 60 by 290 feet, on Texas street, just west of the residence of Mrs. R. T. Wilson. We have exclusive sale of this property. Rogers & Jackson. 43-1

FOR SALE—Nearly new 4-room house—nice large lot, sewer connection, Northeast Vernon. Good neighborhood. Price \$1600. See R. L. Nichols at Record office. 54-1

FOR SALE—Up-to-date four-room bungalow with water and sewerage. Lot 80 by 240, West Texas street. See Wm. Denny at Denny Bros. store. 53-2c

7,600-ACRE FARM AND RANCH for sale, 400 acres in farm. Good improvements, plenty water, best fenced place in county, all good land. Three miles to loading place. For price and terms write owner, Oscar L. Harwell, Adrian, Texas. 48-10tp

Livestock and Poultry

FOR SALE—Two mares, four horses and two mules. All good stuff. G. W. Richardson. 54-2c

FOR SALE—One two-year-old Jersey heifer will be fresh next month. This animal is out of a cow that gives 6 gallons of milk per day. W. M. McCaleb. 54-2c

FOR SALE—White Plymouth Rock chickens; eleven owned old hens and cock; thirty-six early hatched pullets and several cockerels. Phone 549, Mrs. N. R. Tisdal. 50-3c

Miscellaneous

A FORD car in first class condition for sale, worth the money. See me, Orla McCulloch. 54-2c

FORD ROADSTER FOR SALE—In good running condition and has good casings. Apply to E. L. Reed at Auto Paint Shop, North Main Street. 1tp

FOR SALE—1-ton Ford Truck, E. D. Vaughan, Route 4, Phone 9630 R-22, Vernon. 53-4tp

FOR SALE—Slightly used 40-80 Kerosene tractor in good condition, \$2,500. Address Clark Machine Co., Wichita Falls, Texas. 53-3tp

FOARD COUNTY OIL LEASES—Buy an oil lease in Foard county at best rock prices. Several locations being made now, and leases are sure to advance in a short while. Any size lease at small annual rentals, some are close to test well being drilled. See me at Vernon Abstract Company, John C. Roberts, Vernon, Texas. 52-1

LOST, FOUND OR STRAYED.

LOST—One Burk-Key stock certificate No. 610, one share, \$10. In Woolman purse. Finder return to Record office or Edward, Charlie Burchfield. 54-2tp

LOST—Red mule heifer yearling, \$10 reward for delivery of yearling. Has been gone since about July 1. J. D. Vernon, Route 3, Phone 446, R 2. 52-3tp

WANTED

WANTED—At once, two young ladies; pleasant work, good pay. See W. B. Ward, Elk Rooming House. 1c

WANT TO TRADE—Work stock for Ford car. G. W. Richardson. 54-2c

WANTED—About 50 head of horses to pasture at once on good stubble land. Lots of grass and water. J. A. Croager, Oklahoma. 54-2tp

WANTED—Would like to buy twelve gallons of either skimmed or butter milk to feed pigs. Party having this amount of surplus will do well to communicate with C. W. Trigg, manager of the Vernon Dunes Jersey Farm. 54-2c

WANTED—Two rooms for light house-keeping, furnished or unfurnished. P. O. Box 581. 53-3tp

WANTED—Men with light cars to travel and collect for well known Chicago house. Salary \$10 per day and hotel expenses. Small real estate bond and good references required. Address Edgar H. Walker, care General delivery, Vernon, Texas. 52-3tp

BRING ME your second hand furniture and get the highest market price. A. C. Hahn. 26-1c

SPECIAL NOTICE.

For abstracts of land in Foard county see the J. E. Bray Land & Abstract Company, Crowell, Texas. 55-1c Tu.

I HAVE A LARGE amount of money to loan on farm lands. Long time and low rate of interest. T. P. Listman. 29-1c.

FOR RENT.

TWO NICELY FURNISHED bed rooms for rent to men only. Phone 451. 1c

W. P. Starr of Odell passed through Vernon Sunday en route to Dallas on business.

J. W. Blanton and family of Memphis arrived Saturday to visit his son, W. A. Blanton.

If you haven't a kodak of your own, we will loan you one free. If you want to buy, we sell the Eastman line. Kramer Studio. Adv. 30-1c

L. K. Johnson, vice president of The Herring National Bank, expects to leave tomorrow for a trip to Central and East Texas.

Mrs. Paul Goetze returned yesterday afternoon from Mineral Wells, where she has been for several weeks.

LEGAL NOTICES.

State of Texas, State Highway Department, Notice to Contractors, for State Road Construction. Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals for the construction of highway improvement in Wilbarger County will be received at the office of E. L. McHugh, County Judge, at Vernon, Texas, until 2 o'clock p. m. July 30, 1919, and then publicly opened for construction of 2,180 square yards of Road Paving to be of Bitulithic, Asphaltic concrete, one course, reinforced concrete and brick, according to plans on file at office of J. B. Nabers, County Engineer.

Proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes and marked "Bids for the Construction of the Vernon and Oklahoma Road in Wilbarger County." Proposals may be sent by mail, and when sent by mail shall be enclosed in an additional sealed envelope properly marked as indicated above.

All proposals otherwise submitted will be rejected as irregular. Only sealed bids will be considered. All bids received will be retained by the Department and will not be returned to the bidders.

E. L. McHUGH, County Judge. 52-2c Tu. Adv.

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A certified check for \$250.00, made payable to E. L. McHugh, County Judge, must accompany each proposal. The right is reserved to reject any and all proposals and to waive all technicalities.

E. L. McHUGH, County Judge. 52-2c Tu.

Notice, Sheriff's Sale. The State of Texas, County of Wilbarger: By virtue of an Execution and Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Texas, County of Wilbarger, in the case of J. E. Duff, versus E. J. Stephens, No. B-8719, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and decreed, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the first Tuesday in August, A. D. 1919, at 10 o'clock a. m., day of said month, before the Court House door of said Wilbarger County, the following described property to-wit:

That tract or parcel of land situated in Wilbarger county, Texas, being the South part of Survey No. 35 in Block 12, Houston & Texas Central Railway Company survey, Certificate No. 618 and containing two hundred and forty and four-tenths (240 4/10) acres of land, levied on as the property of E. J. Stephens, B. L. Herring, H. A. Montgomery, W. G. Sinclair, Geo. M. Clayton, O. M. Bushy, Oscar Perone, Chas. J. Brown and Jno. H. Frawley, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$2331.10 in favor of J. E. Duff, and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 14th day of July, A. D. 1919. W. A. ISHL, Sheriff 52-3c Tu.

Citation by Publication. The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wilbarger County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon Frank P. Smith, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County; if there be no newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 6th Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 6th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Wilbarger County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Vernon, Texas, on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1919, the same being the first day of September, A. D. 1919, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 14th day of June, A. D. 1919, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2685, wherein Ora L. Smith is plaintiff, and Frank P. Smith is defendant, and said petition, alleging: That on or about the 24th day of August, A. D. 1915, at Pecos, in the State of Texas, plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant, she being then a single woman, bearing the name of Ora Lucy Stripling, and he being a single man, that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 18th day of December, A. D. 1918, when, by reason of the cruel and harsh treatment and improper conduct of defendant toward plaintiff, she was forced and

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compelled to permanently abandon him, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife. Plaintiff alleges, during the time she lived and cohabited with defendant as aforesaid, had one child by him, to-wit: a girl, by the name of Jean Doris Smith, that during all of said time she conducted herself with propriety, and managed the household affairs of her said husband with prudence and economy, and at all times treated her said husband with kindness and forbearance, and defendant, disregarding the solemnity of his marriage vow and his obligation to treat plaintiff with kindness and attention; with a few months after their marriage, commenced a course of unkind, harsh and tyrannical conduct toward her which continued, with persistence, until she was forced to separate from him on or about the 18th day of December, A. D. 1918, that he was guilty of excesses, cruel treatment and outrages toward her, of such a nature to render their living together insupportable; that although defendant is a strong, healthy man, physically and mentally, he continuously during their married life failed and refused to support plaintiff or her said child or furnish her sufficient means to obtain the necessities of life, and has had to depend upon her father for support and maintenance; that defendant conceived a system of treating her as a hired person and required her to work for wages in order to obtain any money to use for her necessary clothing; that defendant never provided her a home or a place to live and they were forced to live with plaintiff's father; and her said father practically furnished defendant with board and lodging, he would create debts and obligations, which, in order to shield plaintiff, and his family name, from shame and reproach, he said father was forced to pay and discharge, and which defendant refused to pay.

That defendant has never made any effort to support and provide for plaintiff and has cruelly mistreated her, designedly and systematically, and imposed her and himself upon her father for their support and maintenance, threatened to kill her, and in consequence thereof rendered it unsafe for her to live with him or remain within his reach.

Wherefore plaintiff prays the Court that defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition; that on final hearing plaintiff have judgment dissolving the marriage contract and relations now existing between them; that plaintiff have the care, custody and education of the said child of said marriage; that said child have her name restored, and for costs of suit and such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that she may be entitled to in the premises.

Rec'd fall not, but have before said Court at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, C. A. Riche, Clerk of the District Court of Wilbarger County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Vernon, Texas, this 14th day of July, A. D. 1919.

C. A. RICHE, Clerk, District Court, Wilbarger County, 51-1c Tu.

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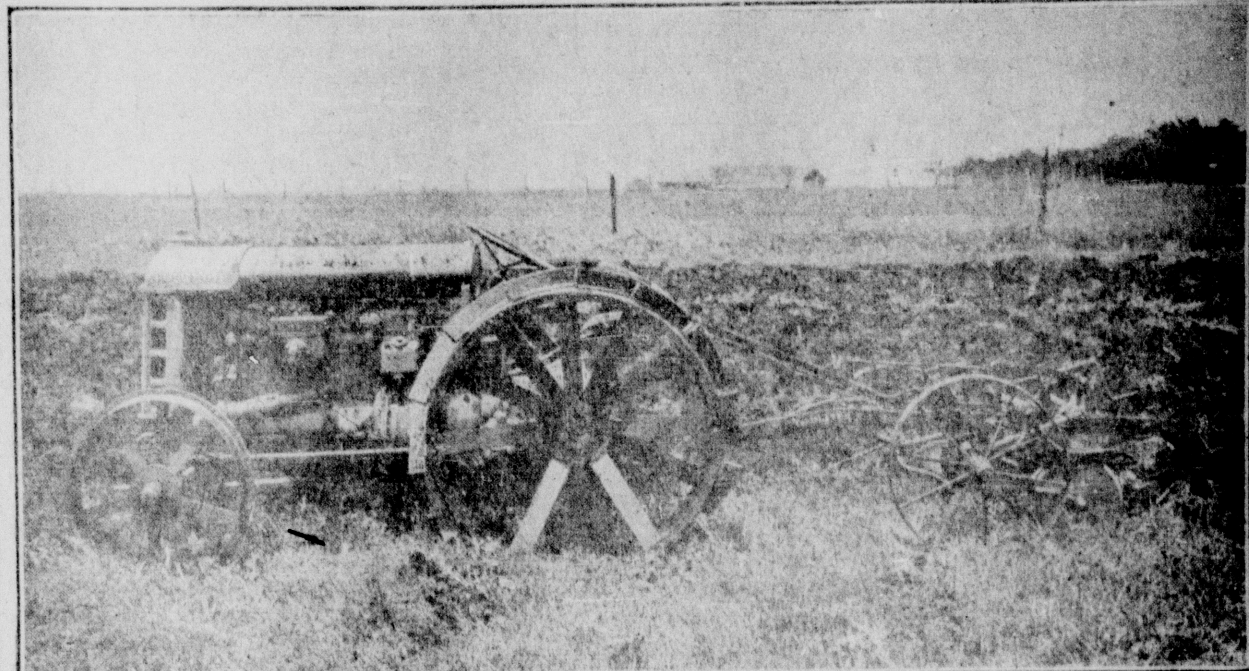
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T. J. Summerour and family left Saturday morning for Cuchara, Colo., to spend a month's vacation.

Jno. T. Abbott of Wichita Falls was a visitor in Vernon Sunday. His wife has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Minnie Parrish.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Powell, Mrs. Grady Stapp and Robert Hall are in Colorado Springs. They will probably be there for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Vernon arrived yesterday from Altus, Okla., to make Vernon their home. Mr. Vernon has accepted a position with H. C. Russell & Son, dry goods.

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Acute Indigestion Is Coroner's Verdict Following Sudden Death of Chas. Braswell Sunday Afternoon—Boy Was Able to Walk Nearly Half a Mile and Got Within 150 Yards of Home

Acute indigestion was given in the verdict of Coroner T. J. Griffiths as the cause of the death of Charles Russell Braswell, an only son of C. L. Braswell, which occurred about 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Young Braswell was eighteen years old.

Braswell and a companion, Sam Johnson, got up from the dinner table and went to a cantaloupe patch some quarter of a mile west of his home near the Frisco shops in Northwest Vernon. Upon arriving at the patch they found a pile of melons apparently picked the day before and intended for hog feed, according to testimony at the inquest.

Deceased ate several of the melons but his companion declined to eat more than three or four bites, declaring that they were no good. The boys started home but before arriving Charles complained of being dizzy, blind and sick. He began to stumble and was supported by his chum, but was able to proceed only a few steps. Young Johnson laid him on the grass and ran home for help. The boy was dead when his companion reached him again. Young Braswell died within 150 yards of his home and within less than thirty minutes after he had eaten the cantaloupes.

Funeral services were held at 11 o'clock yesterday morning at East View Cemetery by Rev. H. F. Brooks, pastor of the First Methodist Church. A host of friends will unite in sympathy for the father bereaved over the tragic death of his son.

MRS. BERRY HAS 110 GUESTS HONORING MRS. J. A. FAIN

Mrs. W. D. Berry entertained informally Wednesday and Thursday honoring her sister, Mrs. J. A. Fain of Oklahoma City. About 110 guests were present. In the receiving line were Mrs. J. A. Fain, L. K. Johnson, L. G. Hawkins, and the hostess.

Guests were ushered into the palatial dining room, where Mrs. Katherine Waggoner presided at the punch bowl Wednesday afternoon, and Mrs. Clint Swartwood, assisted by Mrs. Clyde Smith, presided Thursday afternoon. Misses Cornelia Jane and Louise Johnson and Mary Virginia Sewell had charge of the score cards.

Mrs. R. D. L. Killough, J. A. Napier, C. S. McColloch, D. H. Henry, B. D. Flaniken, and O. A. Swinburn served an ice course. At the Victrola Master Chas. Leslie Fain superintended music by the Masters to entertain the guests.

A musical treat of the reception were musical selections on the piano, violin and flute by Mrs. Fain, John Clark Fain and Keith Berry.

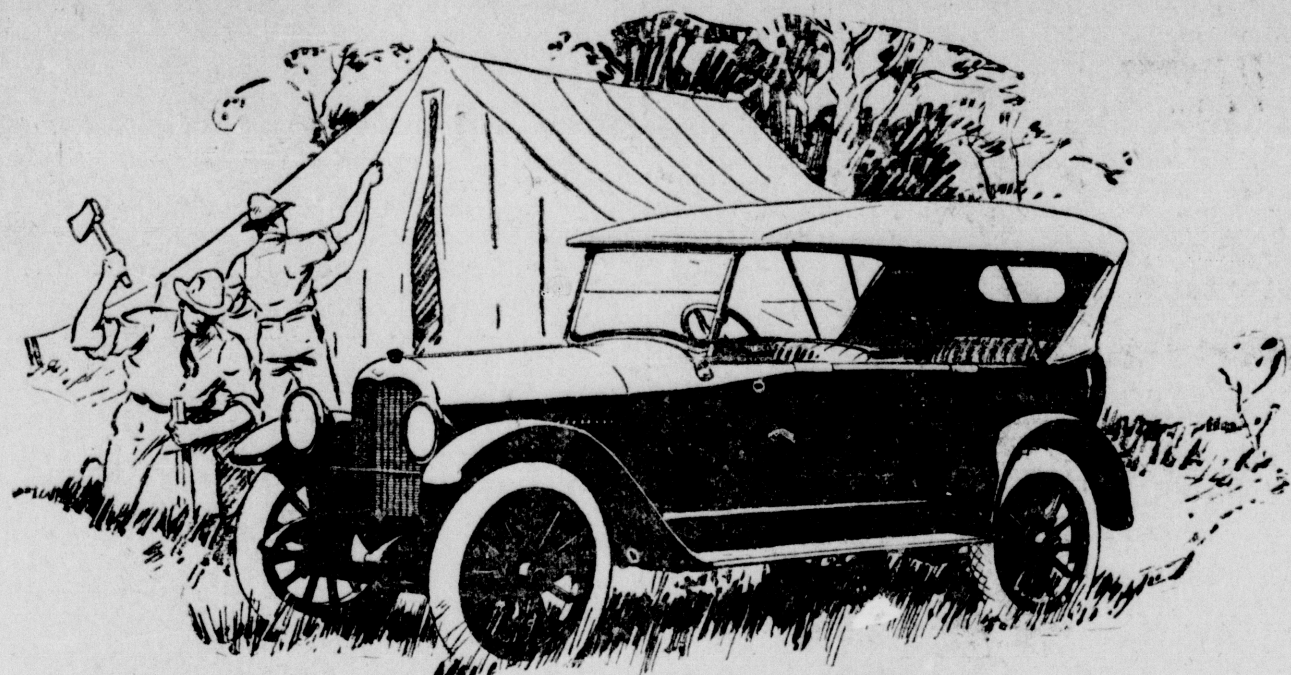
J. M. Bryant Not Doing Well.

J. M. Bryant expects to leave today to accompany his father, J. M. Bryant, to his home in Sherman. The latter underwent an operation here last week and will probably be the subject of a second and more serious operation after arriving home. He is not doing as well as might be expected.

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